World Factbook one-page summaries

Project Title	World Factbook one-page summaries
Project Summary	Development of one-page summaries of information for countries listed in the CIA's World Factbook.
Country	United States

Project Description

The CIA World Factbook lists a wide variety of information on 265 countries and geographic elements. It offers information on such categories of information as: terrorism, government, energy, economy, military, transnational issues, communications, people and society, geography, and transportation. We are currently developing one-page summaries of information about a country that visitors can download and print. Our goal is to provide summaries designed for specific customers such as teachers, journalists, travelers, economists, and others. Samples produced so far are crafted individually, which is time consuming. We would like to develop an automated system that would greatly streamline the production process. There are two current and one former college professors on the team that will work with the intern to ensure they have a rewarding educational experience while making a valuable contribution to a popular public website. There is a full-time database manager on the team to help interns with the technical aspects of this work.

Required Skills or Interests

Skill(s)
Coding
Data analysis
Data visualization
Design thinking
Infographic design
Software development

Additional Information

The World Factbook is a highly regarded resource visited by more than 80 million members of the public each year. Interns will be able to see the results of their efforts on our website and show their work to classmates, peers, professors, and recruiters.

Language Requirements

None